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THIS Day the Houſes of Lords and Commons waited upon the Lord Lieutenant with the following Addreſſes to His Majeſty.

To the King's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament aſſembled.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament aſſembled, beg Leave to approach your Majeſty, with Hearts full of Gratitude, for your paternal Regard to your faithful and loving Subjects of the Kingdom of Ireland, efficiently manifeſted by your Majeſty's gracious Compliance with the Prayer of your faithful Subjects of this Kingdom, in returning a Bill for the Encouragement of Tillage.

The Improvement of Agriculture is a Benefit ſo univerſal, diffuſive, and permanent in its Nature, that it has ever been held a grand Object in the Eye of the greateſt Princes: It is therefore peculiarly becoming the Protection of a Sovereign, whoſe paternal Attention extends to every Part of his Dominions.

Permit us, Sir, to add, that as it is at once the great Source of Population, Civilization, and Morality, it cannot fail of being the ſtrongeſt Reinforcement againſt all His Enemies to a Monarch, who, making the Spirit of the Conſtitution His Rule of Conduct, and the Intereſt of His People the End of all His Actions, reigns all powerful in the Breaſt of every truly loyal Subject.

Wm. Watts Gayer, } Cler. Parliamentor.
Edw. Gayer, }

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Anſwer.

I WILL immediately tranſmit this moſt dutiful and affectionate Addreſs to be laid before His Majeſty.

His Majeſty's Anſwer to the Houſe of Lords.

GEORGE *R.*

HIS Majeſty returns His Thanks to the Houſe of Lords for their dutiful and affectionate Addreſs.

The grateful Senſe they entertain of His Majeſty's paternal Care to promote the Intereſts and Happineſs of His Subjects, cannot fail of giving great Satisfaction to His Majeſty, and is agreeable to their conſtant Zeal and Loyalty for His Perſon and Government, upon the Continuance of which His Majeſty has the firmeſt Dependance.

G. R.

Die Martis 24° die Maii, 1774.

RESOLVED, by the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament aſſembled, That the humble Thanks of this Houſe ſhall be returned to His Majeſty for His Majeſty's moſt gracious Anſwer to the Addreſs of this Houſe of the Second Inſtant.

Ordered, That the Lord Chancellor do attend his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant with the ſaid Reſolution, and deſire his Excellency will pleaſe to lay the ſame before His Majeſty.

Wm. Watts Gayer, } Cler. Parliamentor.
Edw. Gayer, }

To the King's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Knights, Citizens, and Burgeſſes in Parliament aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Ireland, in Parliament aſſembled, beg leave to preſent our unfeigned and grateful Acknowledgements for the gracious Condeſcenſion which your Majeſty has manifeſted to the Wiſhes of your Subjects of this Kingdom, in returning the Bill for the Improvement of the Agriculture of Ireland; which we conſider as a ſingual Inſtance of your Majeſty's paternal Regard for your People.

The Improvement of Agriculture, the Extenſion of Commerce, and the Increaſe of Population, are Objects worthy the Attention of the beſt of Sovereigns, and cannot fail to be the Conſequence of this moſt excellent Law. And we flatter ourſelves that it will be a pleaſing Reflection in your Royal Breaſt, that the Increaſe of Population in this Country will add to the Numbers of the moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, at all Times moſt zealouſly and affectionately devoted to your Majeſty, and to your illuſtrious Houſe.

E. Sterling, } Cler. Dom. Com.
H. Alcock. }

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant's Anſwer.

I Will immediately tranſmit this moſt dutiful and loyal Addreſs to be laid before His Majeſty.

His Majeſty's Anſwer to the Houſe of Commons.

GEORGE *R.*

HIS Majeſty thanks the Houſe of Commons for the grateful Senſe they expreſs in their Loyal Addreſs, of His Affection for His Subjects.

His Majeſty is fully perſuaded of the Zeal and Duty of

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of His faithful Commons; and they may be always assured of His constant Endeavour to promote the Happiness of His Subjects in His Kingdom of Ireland.

G. R.

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, in Parliament assembled.

Most gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Ireland, in Parliament assembled, beg Leave to return your Majesty our most humble Thanks for your Majesty's most gracious Answer to the Address of this House.

Your Majesty's favourable Acceptance of the grateful Acknowledgements of your faithful Commons cannot fail to excite in them the most lively Sentiments of Zeal and Attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government.

E. Sterling,
H. Alcock, } Cler. Dom. Com.

Dublin Castle, May 25.

This Day the Houses of Lords and Commons waited upon the Lord Lieutenant with their respective Addresses, which are as follow:

To his Excellency Simon Earl Harcourt, Lord Lieutenant General, and General Governor of Ireland,

The humble Address of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled.

May it please your Excellency,

WE the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to congratulate your Excellency on the approaching Conclusion of a Session of Parliament, distinguished by so many beneficial Laws, essential to the Prosperity and Happiness of this Kingdom.

We are truly sensible of your Excellency's Concern for the Welfare of this Nation, manifested by those wise and prudent Measures which have already so effectually established the declining Credit of this Kingdom, and for those necessary and useful Regulations effected by your provident Care in the Revenue and other Departments of the State, which must be productive of the most permanent and substantial Benefits.

Among the salutary Laws in this Session obtained, we cannot avoid distinguishing that for granting a Bounty on the Exportation of Corn, which we deem as an Earnest and Pledge of your Excellency's Solicitude for the Interests of this Country, and is an Event which must fix in the Minds of a grateful People the lasting Remembrance of this glorious Æra, and of the Advantages derived to them under your Government.

Animated with a lively and grateful Sense of the Happiness we enjoy, we cannot forbear expressing our most earnest Wishes that His Majesty, out of his paternal Regard for his loyal Subjects of this Country, may be graciously pleased to continue your Excellency in the Government of this Kingdom, where your Prudence, Abilities, and Experience have gained you the Confidence of the People, who consider their Affection for your Excellency as the best Test of their Regard to their Country, and who wish to make your Administration as easy to yourself as it is honourable to the Crown, and satisfactory and advantageous to the Publick.

Wm. Watts Gayer,
Edw. Gayer, } Cler. Parliamentor.

His Excellency's Answer.

My Lords,

I Receive, with the highest Satisfaction, this very kind and obliging Address, which comes with additional Honor at the Close of so distinguished a Session of Parliament; and, I am truly happy to find that my Endeavours to promote the Publick Service have met with your Approbation. You may rest assured, that I shall study to deserve the Continuance of your good Opinion, by a steady and uniform Exertion of my best Efforts for the Welfare and true Interests of this Kingdom.

To his Excellency Simon Earl Harcourt, Lord Lieutenant General, and General Governor of Ireland.

The humble Address of the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, in Parliament assembled.

May it please your Excellency,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Ireland, in Parliament assembled, impressed with the truest Sense of Gratitude, and impelled alike by our Inclination and our Duty, most sincerely and chearfully offer to your Excellency our warmest Congratulations upon the approaching Conclusion of this Session of Parliament.

Your Excellency's uniform Attention to every important Object of Government, and the peculiar Wisdom which your Excellency has manifested in those Regulations in our Finances, which have so effectually re-established the declining Credit of the Nation, must, we are perfuaded, have laid the best Foundation for that successful Interposition with our most gracious Sovereign, to which we attribute so many useful and salutary Laws obtained for us this Session of Parliament, amongst which the Act for the Improvement of Tillage, so long the Object of our warmest Wishes, will leave the most lasting Impression on the Minds of a grateful and loyal People.

We have endeavoured to emulate your Excellency's Example, in supporting Government, by Means the most conducive to the Interest of those we represent; and we have the utmost Satisfaction to find, that the Scheme for discharging the Arrears upon the Establishment has been, at the same Time, one principal Cause of raising the Publick Credit of the Nation.

We feel, in the perfect Enjoyment of every Blessing of Liberty, good Order, and Tranquillity, the peculiar Obligations we owe to His Majesty's Goodness and paternal Care, in placing over us a Chief Governor, whose Administration, like his own great Character, has been eminently distinguished by Justice, Moderation, Firmness, and Wisdom; whose unwearied Endeavours to promote the Prosperity of this Kingdom, and whose Virtues and exemplary Conduct, which

which have ſecured him the juſt Confidence of His Majeſty's loyal Subjects of Ireland, fill our Minds with the warmeſt Hopes that His Majeſty, as the higheſt Mark of His Royal Favour unto us, will be graciouſly pleaſed long to continue his Excellency the Chief Governor of this Kingdom.

E. Sterling, } Cler. Dom. Com.
H. Alcock, }

His Excellency's Anſwer.

Gentlemen,

THE Approbation of the Houſe of Commons would be, at any Time, the moſt honourable Teſtimony of my Conduct, and a high Reward for my ſincere Endeavours to promote the Welfare of Ireland; but, at the Cloſe of a Seſſion, diſtinguiſhed by the beſt conducted Liberality to your Sovereign, and the moſt judicious Arrangements for your Country, it gives me uncommon Satisfaction to receive the Approbation of thoſe who have ſo well deſerved the Thanks of the Publick: Your good Conduct ſpeaks for itſelf. To have ſtated it moſt favourably to His Majeſty, was to have repreſented it truly; it is thoroughly underſtood, and moſt graciouſly accepted: Your dutiful Behaviour and Diſpoſitions are impreſſed upon the Mind of the beſt of Princes; and I ſhall take every other poſſible Method to deſerve the Eſteem of the Commons, and to promote the Proſperity of this Kingdom.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 31, 1774.

Orders for the Court's Change of Mourning on Thurſday next the 2d of June, for his late Moſt Chriſtian Majeſty, viz.

The Ladies to wear Black Silk or Velvet, coloured Ribbons, Fans and Tippets, or Plain White, or White and Gold, or White and Silver Stuffs, with Black Ribbons.

The Men to wear Black Coats, and Black or Plain White, or White and Gold, or White and Silver Stuff Waiſtcoats, full trimmed, coloured Swords and Buckles.

And on Saturday the 4th of June the Court to go out of Mourning.

N. B. There will be no Drawing-Room at St. James's on Thurſday next the Second of June, Saturday being His Majeſty's Birth-Day.

Peterſburg, May 6. On Wedneſday laſt this Court received the very diſagreeable Account of the Death of General Bibikow. His Sovereign and the Empire could not at any Time, but particularly at this Period, have ſuſtained a greater Loſs. His known Probity, and great Military Knowledge, gave him the juſteſt Title to the Favour and Confidence of her Imperial Majeſty. Lieutenant General Prince Stſcherbatow is named to ſucceed General Bibikow in the Command of the Troops againſt the Rebels. We hear alſo that Prince Galitzin is much indiſpoſed.

So quick a Tranſition from Cold to Heat as we now Experience has been ſeldom obſerved here. Though the Port of Cronſtadt is but juſt opened, and the Snow and Ice have barely diſappeared, the Degree of Heat is very near equal to that of the Dog-Days.

Dreſden, May 22. We have received Accounts from different Provinces of this Electorate, that the violent Storms of Hail and Snow have done very conſiderable Damage in this Part of Germany, particularly in the Provinces of Thuringia and Upper Luſatia; by which great Numbers of Cattle have been deſtroyed. By an accidental Fire which happened at the ſame Time, the Village of Bodeniz near Keſſelſdorff has greatly ſuffered.

Paris, May 25. By the Accounts which are received from Choiſy we learn that her Royal Highneſs Madame Sophie continues dangerouſly ill of the Small Pox; but there are greater Hopes of the Recovery of her Royal Highneſs Madam Adelaide. Her Royal Highneſs Madam Victoire was taken ill on Friday laſt of the ſame Diſorder, but as yet there are not any bad Symptoms.

St. James's, May 24, 1774.

WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, that, in the Morning of the 3d Inſtant, the Boat belonging to the Hawke Cutter, in the Service of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms at the Port of Falmouth, coming round Deadman Point, was chaced by a large new Iriſh Cutter of about One Hundred Tons Burthen, mounted with Eight Carriage and Twenty Swivel Guns, with Twenty five Men on Board, and forced on Shore; and that the Crew of the ſaid Cutter fired a great Number of Shot from their Carriage and Swivel Guns at the Boat, in order to deſtroy her and the Perſons in Board the ſaid Boat, and continued ſo firing for a conſiderable Time after they were got on Shore, and were climbing up the Hill at the Deadman Point; after which they gave Chace to the Hawke Cutter, and forced her into the ſaid Port: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Offence, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, who ſhall diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SUFFOLK.

And, as a farther Encouragement, the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms do hereby promiſe a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *to the Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery, to be paid by the Receiver General of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms upon Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.*

Edward Stanley, *Secretary.*

St. James, May 14, 1774.

WHereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That, in the Night between the Eighth and Ninth Days of April laſt, the Warehouſe of Stephen Shakeſpear, of the City of Coventry, Silkman, was broken open, and a conſiderable Quantity of dyed unwrought Silk, Lowe, and White Lace, with Fifty Pounds in Caſh, (to the Value in the Whole of near three Hundred Pounds, as is eſtimated, in Goods and Money) were ſtolen thereout; and that, notwithſtanding great Pains have been taken, no Diſcovery has yet been made: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Robbery, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SUFFOLK.

And, as a farther Encouragement, the ſaid Stephen Shakeſpear doth hereby promiſe a Reward of TWENTY GUINEAS to any Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid to Sir John Fielding in London, or to Mr. Alderman Hewitt at Coventry, (beſides the Reward allowed

allowed by Act of Parliament on Conviction of the Offenders) or if any Person will impeach his Accomplice or Accomplices he shall receive a like Reward; the said Rewards to be paid on the Conviction of one or more of the Offenders.

Stephen Shakespear.

St. James's, May 28, 1774.

WHereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that on the Morning of the 12th Instant it was discovered that an Attempt had been made by Persons unknown to break into His Majesty's Custom-House at Dover, by taking down a Parcel of Glass, but in which they were prevented by Iron Bars being placed within Side; nevertheless, upon further Examination, a Hole appeared to have been cut in one of the Doors, and the Lock and two Bolts forced back, by which Means they got into a Warehouse, and took thereout Four Half-Ankers of Spirituous Liquor.

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Offence, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SUFFOLK.

And, as a further Encouragement, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs do hereby promise a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to the Person making such Discovery, to be paid by the Receiver-General of His Majesty's Customs, upon Conviction of any one or more of the said Offenders.

Edward Stanley, Secretary.

Custom-House, London, May 26, 1774.

FOR SALE,

BY Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, &c. (in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament of the Third Year of His present Majesty) on Tuesday the 7th, Wednesday the 8th, and Thursday 9th, and in the following Week, on Tuesday the 14th and Wednesday the 15th of June, 1774, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the said Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, the following Goods, which are allotted in small Quantities, for the better Accommodation of the several Dealers, as well as private Persons, who chuse to become Purchasers.

For Home Consumption.

Brandy, Rum, Geneva, Arrack, Shrub, Cordial Water, Green and Bohea Tea, Raw and Roasted Coffee, and Bobbins for making Lace.

Also such Goods as have remained in His Majesty's Warehouse upwards of Six Months, not cleared or the Duties paid, viz.

Linen, Diaper, Wearing Apparel, Feather Beds, Bugle, Books, Pictures, Glass, Snuff, Wine in Casks and Bottles, and sundry other Goods as mentioned in the Catalogues.

Clear of all Duties.

The Liquors to be seen and tasted at the King's Warehouse, Custom-House, London, on Wednesday the 1st, Thursday the 2d, Friday the 3d, and Monday the 6th, of June; and the Tea and Rummage Goods at the same Place, on Thursday the 9th, Friday the 10th, and Monday the 13th of June, from Nine to One in the Forenoons, and in the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.

Admiralty-Office, May 16, 1774.

HIS late Majesty having been graciously pleased, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th Day of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice, that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Plymouth; as also with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerness; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where all such Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Belson, at the Admiralty-Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the Widows of Sea-Officers who died before the 30th of August, 1732, as well as to the Widows of those who died since that Time, whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, such Monies as may be due to them on the 31st of May instant; This is to give Notice, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do so as soon as possible; and that all such Widows, whose Claims have been already allowed, may send or bring to this Office, as soon as possible, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Pension or Bounty.

General Post-Office, January 11, 1774.

WILLIAM Harvey, of Amersham in the County of Bucks, Innholder, and Deputy-Postmaster of that Place, stands charged upon Oath, on a violent Suspicion of having feloniously stolen out of the Post-Office there, several Bank Notes and Bills contained in Letters sent by the Post.

The said William Harvey absconded from his Dwelling-House at Amersham aforesaid, on Sunday last the 9th Instant. He is about forty Years of Age, five Feet six Inches high, very fat, short Neck, and carries his Head very upright; is remarkably full chested, rather a black Complexion, short thick Nose, very full Eyes, wears a black curled Wig with a Tyburn Top, and is supposed to have had on a brown Coat and red Waistcoat when he absconded.

Whosoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the said William Harvey, will be intitled to a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS.

By Command of the Postmaster General,

Anth. Todd, Secretary.

Rye, May 28, 1774.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the next Meeting of the Commissioners for compleating and keeping in Repair the Harbour of Rye in the County of Sussex, will be held at the Guildhall in Rye, on Monday the 20th Day of June next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, to take into Consideration the Debt and Fund of the New Harbour, and whether it should be further proceeded on or not; or whether the whole Monies arising from the Fund should be applied to the Payment of the Creditors and the Preservation of the Lands.

Tho. Cooke, Treasurer.

ADVERTISEMENT.

To the Annuitants of Meſſ. Douglas, Heron, and Company, late Bankers in Air.

WHereas, by an Act paſſed in the preſent Seſſion of Parliament, intituled, "An Act for the more effectually carrying into Execution certain Propoſals made "by the moſt noble Henry Duke of Buccleugh, the moſt "noble Charles Duke of Queensberry and Dover, and "Others, for redeeming the Annuities granted by the "Company of the Bank in Air, in that Part of Great "Britain called Scotland, known under the Firm of "Douglas, Heron, and Company,"—The ſaid Henry Duke of Buccleugh, Charles Duke of Queensberry and Dover, Archibald Douglas of Douglas, Eſq; John Hamilton of Sundrum, Alexander Ferguſon of Craigdarroch, Iſlay Campbell, David Ferguſon, Alexander Wight, John Campbell, Andrew Croſbie, George Home, Alexander M'Konochie, Thomas Lockhart, and John Syme, being the Committee of Partners of the ſaid Company appointed for managing and winding up the Affairs of the ſaid Company, or any five of them, (of which the ſaid Henry Duke of Buccleugh, Charles Duke of Queensberry and Dover, and Archibald Douglas of Douglas, Eſq; or any two of them or the Survivor of them, ſhall be three, two, or one, as the Caſe ſhall happen) are authoriſed and impowered to execute and iſſue Bonds, in Manner mentioned in the Act, for any Sum or Sums of Money, not exceeding in the whole 500,000 l. for the Purpoſe of raiſing Money for redeeming the Annuities, that were granted by the Partnerſhip of Douglas, Heron, and Company, in 1772, and for the Payment of a Half Year's Purchaſe, or 5 l. more on every Annuity of 100 l. and pro rata for every greater or leſſer Annuity, as a Premium verbally agreed to be paid to the Annuitants when the Annuities were granted, at the Time of redeeming thereof; under certain Conditions and Regulations ſpecified in the Act.—And whereas the ſaid Committee are now executing Bonds, in Purſuance of the ſaid Act, and will be ready to begin to redeem the ſaid Annuities upon the 10th Day of June in this Year 1774, and the ſaid Committee taking into Conſideration, that the paying the Redemption Money and getting the Annuity Bonds properly diſcharged cannot poſſibly be executed in one Day, and they being deſirous to redeem the Annuities in the Manner moſt equal and convenient for the Annuitants, have come to the Reſolution of proceeding in the Redemption of the Annuities in the following Manner:

That is to ſay,—They will redeem each Annuity upon the firſt Quarter-Day the Annuity becomes due, after the 10th Day of June in this Year 1774, by paying to the Annuitant the original Price of the ſaid Annuity, the Half-Year's Purchaſe or Premium, and the whole Arrears of the Annuity then due, upon getting a Diſcharge or Acquittal of the Annuity Bond; and will proceed in the ſame Manner, paying from Day to Day, Sundays excepted, until the Quarter Day of each Annuity Bond ſhall be paſſed, and Payment made to each Annuitant, or his or her Attorney legally authorized, who ſhall call for Payment of the ſaid Redemption Money. And, for the further Accommodation of the Annuitants, who may wiſh to have their Annuities redeemed before their Quarter-Days, they will redeem them upon any Day the Annuitants ſhall call for their Payment, after the ſaid 10th Day of June in this Year 1774. And the ſaid Committee have appointed Alexander M'Konochie, one of their Number, to pay the ſaid Redemption Monies, at his Lodging in the Houſe of Thomas Lambert, Taylor, N° 73, St. Martin's-Lane, Charing-Croſs, where Attendance will be given from Ten a Clock Forenoon till Three o'Clock Afternoon. And, for the greater Accommodation of the Annuitants, and to avoid Loſs to thoſe who may, from any unavoidable Cauſe, be prevented from calling for Payment of their Redemption Money upon the Quarter-Day, in Manner above expreſſed, they have reſolved, and hereby agree, to pay Intereſt of the Redemption Money from the ſaid Quarter-Day, at the Rate of Five per Cent. until Payment thereof, provided Payment is called for within the Space of Six Months from the ſaid Quarter-Day. And that, after the Expiration of the ſaid Six Months, they will depoſit the Money in a Banker's Shop, of which Notice will be given by Advertiſements in the Gazette and News-Papers after-mentioned; there to remain, without the Copartnery being liable for Intereſt thereon, until the Money is called for by the Annuitant, or his or her lawful Attorney. And the ſaid Committee, in order to make the above Particulars known to all the Annuitants and their lawful Attornies, and to the Executors or Adminiſtrators of ſuch Annuitants as are dead, have ordered this Notice to be publiſhed twice every Week in the London Gazette, and in the News-Papers called the Public Advertiſer, Daily Advertiſer, the Gazetteer, the London Chronicle, and London Evening Poſt, for three Weeks, and once a Week for three Months thereafter. And, in order to bind the Company to the Performance of the Conditions herein ſpecified, a Copy of this Advertiſement, ſubſcribed by a Quorum of the Committee, is lodged with Sir Thomas Frankland, Baronet, one of the Inſpectors, at his Houſe in Old Bond Street, for the Benefit of all concerned.

Office of Ordnance, Tower, May 27, 1774.

THE Principal Officers of His Majeſty's Ordnance do hereby give Notice, That they will be ready, on Friday next the 3d of June, at their Office in St. Margaret's-Street, Weſtminſter, to receive Propoſals from all Perſons that may be willing to contract with them for ſupplying about 605 Chaldrons of Coals and 197 Chaldrons of Culm, for the Service of this Office at Gibraltar; the ſame to be delivered at that Garriſon free of all Duty and Charges; alſo for ſupplying 200 Chaldrons of Culm, and delivering the ſame free of all Charges, for the Service of this Office at Portſmouth.

By Order of the Board,

John Boddington.

YORK and HAMBLETON RACES, 1774.

ONE Hundred Guineas in Specie, given by His Majeſty, will be run for on Black-Hambleton, in Yorkſhire, on Thurſday the 11th of Auguſt next, by Mares, being no more than Five Years old the Graſs before they run, as muſt be certified under the Hands of the Breeders at the Time of Entering, carrying Ten Stone Weight, one Heat.

On Monday the 15th of Auguſt, One Hundred Guineas in Specie, given by His Majeſty, will be run for on Knaveſmire, near the City of York, by any Horſe, &c. being no more than Six Years old the Graſs before they run, as muſt be certified under the Hands of the Breeders at the Time of Entering, carrying Twelve Stone Weight, One Four-Mile Heat. To be ſhewn and entered at the Grand Stand upon the ſaid Courſe, on Saturday the 13th of Auguſt, between the Hours of Two and Six of the Clock of the ſame Day; and if any Differences ariſe either in Entering or Running, the ſame to be determined by the moſt Noble the Marquis of Rockingham, or whom he ſhall appoint, according to His Majeſty's Rules and Orders then and there to be produced.

THE Creditors of Beaumont Topott, late of Wakefield in the County of York, Druggiſt and Confectioner, are deſired to ſend an Account of their reſpective Demands to Mr. Joſeph Bradney, Druggiſt, in Wood-Street, London, or Mr. Thomas

Thomas Lund, in Wakefield, on or before the 1st of July next, in order to aſcertain the Dividend which will immediately afterwards be made of his Effects amongſt his Creditors.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Henry Lawrenſe, of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Factor, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Wedneſday the 23d of June next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the King's-Head Inn, in New-Street, Birmingham aforeſaid, in order to aſſent to or diſſent the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt William Hunt and Robert Muffett, of the Pariſh of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middleſex, Sadlers, Dealers, and Chapmen, and Copartners, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of their Eſtate and Effects, on Tueſday the 7th Day of June next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Queen's-Head Tavern in Great Queen-Street, Lincoln's-Inn Fields, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs touching the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate, and certain Claims made or intended to be made thereon. And all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate are deſired forthwith to pay the ſame to Mr. Butler, Hatter, in the Strand, one of the Aſſignees, or they will be ſued for the ſame.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Thomas Mare, of the Pariſh of St. Andrew Holborn in the City of London, Mercer, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Thurſday the 9th of June next, at Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Three Tuns Tavern, in Church-Street, Spital-Fields, in Middleſex, in order to aſſent to diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter in Diſpute relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

ALL Perſons who have any Demands on the Eſtate of Mrs. Mary Bellamy, late of Newman-Street, Oxford-Road, London, are deſired to ſend an Account of the ſame to Mr. Bellamy, Linen-Draper, near the Manſion-Houſe, or Mr. Pomfret, Wine-Merchant, in New-North-Street, Red-Lion-Square, her Executors, for Payment thereof; and all Perſons indebted to her Eſtate are requeſted to pay ſuch Debts to either of her ſaid Executors.

PURſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Henry Lord Apſley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for William Hunt and Robert Muffett, of the Pariſh of Saint Martin in the Fields in the County of Middleſex, Sadlers, Dealers and Chapmen, and Copartners, (Bankrupts) to ſurrender themſelves, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 28th Day of May inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 16th Day of July next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupts are required to ſurrender themſelves between the Hours of Eleven and One of the Clock of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh their Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate or Certificates.

PURſuant to an Order made by the Rt. Hon. Henry Lord Apſley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for Peter Prichard, late of Bucklersbury, near the Poultry, in the City of London, Linen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 31ſt Day of May inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the major Part of the Commiſſioners named and authorized in and by the ſaid Commiſſion intend to meet on the 19th Day of July next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf between the Hours of Eleven and One of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts are to come prepared to prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Ainſworth, of Strood in the County of Kent, Linen-Draper, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 6th and 13th Days of June next, and on the 12th Day of July following, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to proved their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Jemmett, Pudding-Lane, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Gubbins, of Hand-Court, Upper Thames-Street, London, Carpenter, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 4th and 11th Days of June next, and on the 12th Day of July following, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Richardſon, of Wood-Street, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Theodore Gibſon, of Stratford in the County of Eſſex, Shopkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 3d and 10th Days of June next at Five in the Afternoon, and on the 12th of July following at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Parnther, Bartlett's-Buildings, London;

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Henry Williams, of the Town of Chepſtow in the County of Monmouth, Merchant, and Dealer in Timber, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 6th and 7th Days of June next, and on the 12th Day of July following at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Richard Bowſher, called the White Lion, in the City of Briſtol, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Thomas Davis, Attorney, at Chepſtow aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Pope, late of Pennett-Street, Weſtminſter, in the County of Middleſex, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 6th and 21ſt Days of June next, and on the 12th Day of July following, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and

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WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Dalton, of Hoxton in the Pariſh of St. Leonard Shoreditch in the County of Middleſex, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 4th and 11th Days of June next, and on the 12th Day of July following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame, but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Conſtable, Abchurch-Lane, London.

WHereas the major Part of the Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Elliſon, of the Strand in the Liberty of Weſtminſter in the County of Middleſex, Woollen-Draper, met on the 28th Inſtant, (purſuant to Notice in the London Gazette) in order to take the ſaid Bankrupt's laſt Examination, and receive a Diſcloſure and Diſcovery of his Eſtate and Effects; at which Time the ſaid Bankrupt ſurrendered himſelf, in order to paſs ſuch his Final Examination, and the ſaid Commiſſioners proceeded on the ſame: But the Affignees and Creditors of the ſaid Bankrupt, then preſent, not being ſatisfied with the State of the Accounts then produced by the ſaid Bankrupt, and the ſaid Bankrupt alledging, that if farther Time was granted him he ſhould be fully able to remove ſuch Suſpicion, and clear up his Accounts: The ſaid Commiſſioners therefore, at the joint Requeſt of the Creditors and Bankrupt, did adjourn the Finiſhing the ſaid Examination until the 18th Day of June next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to attend accordingly: And ſuch Creditors who have not already proved their Debts may then come and prove the ſame.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Murphy, of Brick-Lane, Spital-Fields, in the County of Middleſex, Weaver, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 21ſt Day of June next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may come and prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Shepperd, of the Pariſh of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middleſex, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 21ſt Day of June next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Redmond Keating, late of Portſmouth in the County of Hants, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of June next, at Five in in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Firſt and Final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Titterington, of the Pariſh of St. George Southwark in the County of Surry, Sadler, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of June next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt William Swan, late of Bridgewater in the County of Somerſet, Mercer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 21ſt Day of June next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment) in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Daniel Sanders, of the Pariſh of Topſham in the County of Devon, Timber-Merchant, intend to meet on the 21ſt Day of June next, at Five in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt William Tomſon, of Newmarket in the County of Suffok. Lime-Burner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 1ſt Day of July next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Half Moon Inn in Bury Saint Edmunds in the aforeſaid County of Suffolk, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt James Batt, late of the City of New Sarum in the County of Wilts, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of June next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Nicholas Hibberd, known by the Name of the Chough Inn, in the City of New Sarum, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Matthew Meaſe, of the City of Briſtol, Vintner, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 27th Day of June next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Mr. Stephen Tricker, Vintner, called the Fountain Tavern, in High-Street, Briſtol aforeſaid, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Peter Paumier, of London, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable Henry Lord Apſley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid Peter Paumier hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice that, by virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of his late Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed, as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 21ſt of June next.

THE under-mentioned Perſon claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed *for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors*, the following Notice have been brought to the Printer of the LONDON GAZETTE, to be inſerted in This Paper, and are herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Keeper of the KING's BENCH Priſon, in the County of Surry.

Firſt Notice.

Peter M'Dermott, formerly of Little Rider-Street, St. James's, in the County of Middleſex, late of Dublin, Merchant.

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